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Report for the period Thursday January 18 through Sunday January 21, 2018

THURSDAY

01-18-2018

ENTRIES FOR SUNDAY

Steward John Herbuveaux was on hand for Sunday's entries. Nine races are scheduled.

FRIDAY

01-19-2018¹

GRYDER COMPLAINT-(CASE #17GG0124)

Jockey Aaron Gryder was issued an official warning and voluntarily signed a testing agreement. Gryder was cited for a random test conducted at Santa Rosa on August 20, 2017 which registered a BAC of .04%. Gryder researched how this could be and discovered that "Synergy Kombucha" drinks that he consumes on a regular basis sometimes contain alcohol. "Cosmic Cranberry" flavor has no alcohol but "Divine Grape" flavor has a disclaimer that by law they have to state "contains alcohol" if the substance has over 0.5% alcohol.

The disclaimer is in fine print and not very obvious to a casual observer. When researched online, some reports claimed the alcohol content to range as high as 3%.

01-19-2018²

HOWEY HEARING (CASE #17GG0162)

Trainer Quinn Howey appeared to answer charges of a medication violation. U. C. Davis Laboratory reported the official blood test sample taken from "The Grey Mousse" who finished 1st in the ninth race on November 4, 2017 at Golden gate Fields contained 0.64 ug/ml of Phenylbutazone and 40.3 ng/ml of Flunixin.

Mr. Howey has a very good record of compliance and had no explanation for the double test. The high reading of Flunixin was indicative of "race day" medication according to Dr. Forrest Franklin's written report. More to follow....

01-19-2018³**PROGRAM CHANGES****REFUNDS****3rd Race:** #5 Midnight Seeker (Trainer Clifford DeLima)

Sick-DVM Sporer

\$169.10**8th Race:** #10 Knight's Dream (IRE) (Trainer Michael Lenzini)

Sick-DVM Sporer

\$195.1601-19-2018⁴**GOOD RACING**

Some intermittent showers did not affect today's eight races and they were conducted without noteworthy incident.

01-19-2018⁵**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	672	\$197,804.80
NCOT	1407	\$484,443.60
SCOT		\$278,105.10
OUT OF STATE		\$1,257,565.14
TOTAL		\$2,217,918.64

SATURDAY01-20-2018¹**HOWEY RULING (REFERENCE 01/19/2018²)****#24**

Trainer **QUINN O. HOWEY**, who started the horse **THE GREY MOUSSE** in the ninth race at Golden Gate Fields, November 4, 2017, is fined the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00)* pursuant to California Horse Racing Board rule #1887 (Trainer to Insure Condition of Horse) for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1843 (a) & (d) (Medication, Drugs and Other Substances-more than one approved substance; Phenylbutazone (.64 ug/ml) and Flunixin (40.3) ng/ml [class 4]).

The above ruling was issued after deliberation over yesterday's hearing. Although Howey has a good record, the fact that the Banamine level was double the allowable amount compounded the double NSAID violation.

01-20-2018²**AMADOR RULING****#25**

Jockey **SILVIO AMADOR** who rode **BLAME THE WEATHER** in the first race at Golden Gate Fields on Friday, January 19, 2018 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above ruling was issued after Amador appeared and stated that he lost count near the wire as he was trying to hold on for the victory. Unfortunately he finished second and now suffers a fine as well.

01-20-2018³**OROZCO RULING****#26**

Jockey **IRVING OROZCO**, having appeared and having shown proof of completion of a rehabilitation program acceptable to the Board of Stewards and providing a negative test result is hereby restored to good standing.

As stated in Pacific Racing Association ruling #14, dated November 4, 2017, Mr. Orozco will remain on probation for the term for his license (12/31/2019). Terms of probation include adherence to a contract with the Winners Foundation and also abiding by a testing agreement as long as he is licensed by the California Horse Racing Board.

The above ruling was issued after young Orozco appeared and provided a clean test. Mr. Orozco went through a program recommended by the Winners Foundation and according to Darin Scharer of that organization Mr. Orozco is doing fantastic. We welcome one of our stars back and wish him well.

01-20-2018⁴**PROGRAM SCRATCHES**

6th Race: #2 River Joe (Trainer Tim McCanna)
Allergic Reaction-DVM Franklin
6th Race: #5 Holly Cat (Trainer Sergio Ledezma)
Sick-DVM Sporer
7th Race: #6 Campaigner (Trainer Steve Miyadi)
Stake-Stewards
7th Race: #8 Ministersdontparty (Steve Miyadi)
Stake-Stewards
8th Race: #12 Storminside (Trainer Jerry Hollendorfer)
Full Field-Stewards
9th Race: #10 Tapalita (Trainer Dan Hendricks)
Sick-DVM Sporer

REFUNDS**See Below****\$479.91****See Below****\$951.80****\$94.82****\$240.94**01-20-2018⁵**SIXTH RACE OBJECTION-NO CHANGE**

Jockey Herbert Martinez aboard #9 Ultimately (8th) lodged a claim of foul against #10 Jasper Star (3rd) and jockey Catalino Martinez for alleged interference at the top of the stretch. After review and talking to the riders, the Stewards ordered no change.

#9 checks at the top of the stretch to avoid the heels of #10 but the films indicate #10 stayed in its path while #9 is getting out slightly causing its own problem.

01-20-2018⁶**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	1262	\$348,090.30
NCOT	2140	\$827,919.70
SCOT		\$576,744.40
OUT OF STATE		<u>\$1,688,642.85</u>
TOTAL		\$3,441,397.25

SUNDAY01-21-2018¹**CEDILLO RULING****#27**

Jockey **ABEL CEDILLO** who rode **FELONY ONE** in the ninth race at Golden Gate Fields on Saturday, January 20, 2018 is fined the sum of One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00)* for violation of California Horse Racing Board rule #1688 (Use of Riding Crop-used more than three times without giving the horse a chance to respond).

The above ruling was issued after Cedillo appeared and reviewed the stretch drive with the Stewards. He realized his mistake and accepted the penalty.

01-21-2018²**PROGRAM SCRATCHES**

4th Race: #3 Sheila's Footsteps (Trainer Isidro Tamayo)
Injured-DVM Sporer
9th Race: #13 Irish Swing (Trainer Frank Lucarelli)
Also Eligible-Stewards
9th Race: #5 Concensus (Trainer Blaine Wright)
Injured in gate-DVM Isbell

REFUNDS**\$180.26****See Below****\$58,262.34**01-21-2018³**VOIDED CLAIMS**

The claim on #6 Gracioso in the second race submitted by trainer Jerry Hollendorfer was deemed void after State Veterinarian Forrest Franklin reported the gelding lame in the left front leg. Gracioso was returned to the barn of Michael Lenzini.

The claim on #6 Riverino in the third race submitted by trainer Bruno Maelfeyt was deemed void after State Veterinarian Forrest Franklin reported the gelding bowed in its left front leg. Riverino was returned to the barn of trainer Roger Hansen.

01-21-2018⁴**9TH RACE INQUIRY-DISQUALIFICATION**

The inquiry sign was posted to review the start of this six furlong event involving numbers 6, 7 & 8. After review and talking to the riders #8 He's A Habanero (Catalino Martinez) was disqualified from second and placed eighth for interference to #6 Bartolomeo (Hugo Herrera) and #7 Bronze warrior (Ricardo Perez).

#8 breaks in sharply at the start bumping and impeding #7 who in turn bumps and impedes #6 costing both #7 & #6 any chance at a better placing.

Original order of finish: 12-**8**-9-2-7-3-1-6-4-10-11

Official order of finish: 12-9-2-7-3-1-6-**8**-4-10-11

01-21-2018⁵**ATTENDANCE & HANDLE**

GGF	2695	\$400,211.00
NCOT	1780	\$620,913.20
SCOT		\$424,437.10
OUT OF STATE		<u>\$1,178,247.39</u>
TOTAL		\$2,623,808.69

VETERINARIAN RECOMMENDED SCRATCHES

DATE	RACE	#	HORSE NAME	TRAINER	VET	REFUND
01-19-2018	3	5	Midnight Seeker	DeLima	Sporer	\$169.10
01-19-2018	8	10	Knight's Dream	Lenzini	Sporer	\$195.16
01-20-2018	6	2	River Joe	McCanna	Franklin	See Below
01-20-2018	6	5	Holly Cat	Ledezma	Sporer	<u>\$479.91</u>
01-20-2018	9	10	Tapalita	Hendricks	Sporer	\$240.94
01-21-2018	6	2	River Joe	McCanna	Franklin	See Below
01-21-2018	6	5	Holly Cat	Ledezma	Sporer	<u>\$479.91</u>
01-21-2018	4	3	Sheila's Footsteps	Tamayo	Sporer	\$180.26
01-21-2018	9	5	Consensus	Wright	Isbell	\$58,262.34

VETERINARY REPORT - Veterinarian's List-0

There were seventeen (17) horses placed on the vet's list:

Sick:	6	Injured:	2
Unsound:	2	Bled:	2
Shockwave:	5		

There were sixteen (16) horses removed from the vet's list:

Sick:	8	Injured:	2
Unsound:	6		

WEEKLY ATTENDANCE & HANDLE SUMMARY FOR SATELLITE FACILITIES

Fresno	47	\$16,942.30
Fresno Club One	79	\$41,330.00
Monterey	144	\$58,696.60
Pleasanton	693	\$313,005.80
Sacramento	675	\$243,626.10
San Jose	1212	\$229,926.10
San Mateo	1311	\$582,823.80
Santa Rosa	297	\$120,565.10
Stockton	489	\$150,664.80
Tulare	0	0
Turlock	0	0
Vallejo	380	\$159,105.20
So. California	0	\$1,279,286.60
Out of State	0	\$4,124,455.20

	01/19	01/20	01/21	01/22	Total	Meet	
ACCIDENTS	0	0	0	0	0	5	
CAL-BRED RACES	0	0	0	0	0	0	
CLAIMS	4	2	4	0	10	64	
DISQUALIFICATIONS	0	0	1	0	1	7	
INQUIRIES/OBJECTIONS	0	1	1	0	2	10	
REFUNDS	2	6	3	0	11	85	
RULINGS	0	3	1	0	4	34	
CLAIMS VOIDED	0	0	2	0	2	5	

Respectfully submitted,

Will Meyers, Steward

Dennis Nevin, Steward

John Herbuveaux, Steward

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